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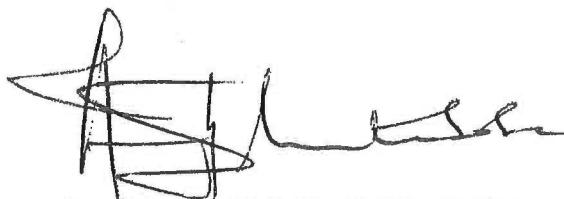
Excellency,

We have the honour to inform Your Excellency that today the Government of the Republic of Rwanda and the Government of the Republic of Mauritius have established diplomatic relations. Therefore, we would like to request Your Excellency to circulate the attached Joint Communiqué as a United Nations document.

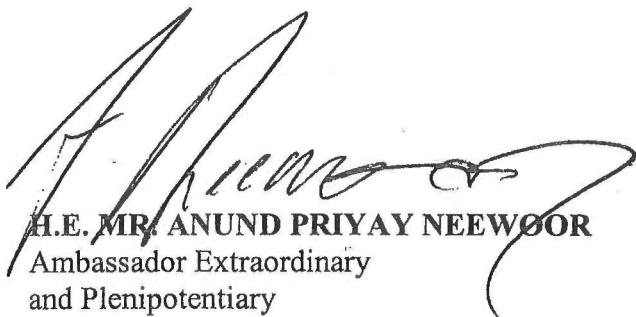
Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

for the Government of  
the Republic of Rwanda

for the Government of  
the Republic of Mauritius



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**JOINT COMMUNIQUE  
ON THE  
ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC  
RELATIONS BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF RWANDA  
AND  
THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS**

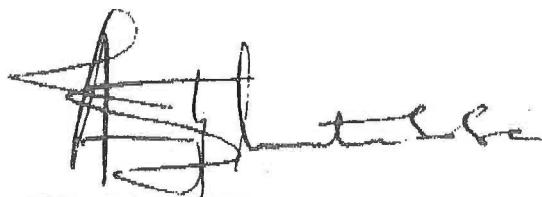
The Government of the Republic of Rwanda and the Government of the Republic of Mauritius guided by the principles of the Charter of the United Nations and the principles of international law, and desirous of promoting relations of friendship and cooperation for mutual benefit between the two nations on the basis of equality, mutual respect of each other's sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity as well as non-interference in the internal affairs of each other,

HAVE DECIDED to establish diplomatic relations at Ambassadorial level as from the date of signature of this Communiqué.

These relations will be developed in conformity with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 1961.

Done in New York, on 16 March, 2001 in two original copies in English.

for the Government of the  
Republic of Rwanda



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